G. R. S. App. F. IX-4]

Previous References.
W 43-42-10 to 12.

1942-3
(War)

War File No. 150-42
Serial Nos. 1 to 16

Later References.
W 82-43-1 to 5

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos. Sixteen only.

Part B for January 1943

SUBJECT.

Suspension of obscuration of lights orders.
(Lighting restrictions)

J.M. Krishnan
15.1.43.

Serial No.

As the Darbar will be held on the 4th. also. The suspension of the order has to be extended to that date also. We shall issue a Notification with issue herewith

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31/7/42

Law Ministry

I understand that it was decided at the ARP meeting with the Resident this morning under advice of the Govt that lighting restrictions in the State might be removed for the present as there is no imminent danger & that the restrictions will have to be re-imposed & come into effect within 4 8 hours on fresh advice.

The Resident says he has written to this effect

Kindly issue a general order suspending the operation of the Obscuration of lights order throughout the State until further or

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except notification issued

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NOTE—Cont.ᵈ Sheet.

W.C.(4155)- GPB- 55,000—23-10-41

Issued Notification 628-727/W & 1st A

446/GR

Obscuration of lights Order - Suspension

File No. of 194

General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No.

The Notification re: the Suspension of the Order has issued. The ISO has suggested that it may be notified that there will be a practice on the 20th August by the Obscuration can be made effective within 48 hours. For orders whether any Press Note may issue in the matter

(RS 3/8)

A Press Note may be issued in continuation

Sd/-
Chief Secy

I think a press note has been issued before

Sd/-
6/8

CS 4/8

CHIEF SECRETARY. 5. AUG. 1942 GOVT. OF MYSORE.

The Press Note is forwarded herewith. It does not refer to the re-imposition of the restriction during practice on the close of the month

+ Mysore ARP Controller Press Communique is also placed below

Sd/-
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CHIEF SECRETARY. 7. AUG. 1942 GOVT. OF MYSORE.

This is necessary before the Notification issues on the basis of copy attached

Sd/-

Sd/-
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Draft Press Note for issue issued before issue

Chief Secy)

Dr 1910

Dr 1910

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War.

General and Revenue Secretariat | W File No. 150 of 1942-3 | [App. F. III—2

Serial No.

OFFICE OF THE
[illegible] FOR LAW
AUG 12 1942
No. 1462

for personal [illegible]
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Law Dept

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Note issued and the file returned to War Secty.

KB
15/8/42.

(Asst Secy [illegible])

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NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

WD 04155—GPB—55,000—23-10-41

178/W

Lighting Restrictions - Basic Operations

General and Revenue Secretariat

W File No. 150 of 1942-3. [App. F. III-2

LIBRARY FOR LAW
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Serial No. 5

From The Asst to Hon'ble the Resident No F-3(22)-42/W dt 29th ult forwg a copy of CD Dept circular letter dt 13th inst. with regard to the partial relaxation of the Observation of lights Order.

Submitted for perusal. Copies of the circular will be sent to the S.P. for information

25 2/9 The proposals have already been complied with by the Police

Sd/- 2/9/42

It contemplates enforcement of Observation Order

15/10/42 8/9

Submitted with a letter to the S.P.

25 5/9 Received 1524/W dt 5th Sept. 42 from the S.P.

CHIEF SECRETARY
2 SEP 1942
GOVT. OF MYSORE.

NOTE—Cont.d Sheet.

WD 04155—GPD—55,000—23-10-41

968 Observation lights order

985/W

File No. 995/W/Estt Black out on 23, 24th & 25th Sept R. of 194

General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No.

From The ARP Officer B Cats

No ARP 285/42-43 & 18th Sept R. 42

in the matter of having Estt black outs on the 23rd 24th & 25th inst and regarding issue a Notification in the matter.

Read reference is invited to the Preamble of the Mysore Observation of lights Order & Clause 3 of the Hostile Attacks Precautions Order. . . Since the present Reference is for Public Black outs and is not intended to impose permanent restrictions it is for consideration and orders whether a Notification need issue. As per clause 3 of the Hostile Attacks Order perhaps a Press Note will suffice for giving notice to the Public.

SEP 21 1942 No. 2463

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From The Addl Officer ARP. 285/42-43 & 18th Sept 42 relating to Chief.

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From The ARP Officer B Cats.

ARP. 285/42-43 & 21st Sept R. 42

Forg a copy & a draft notification viz the Observation of lights order.

Subd with a Notification as per draft enclosed Estt.

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Law Dept

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Issue Notification 1619/W 1620-3 21/9 21st Sept. 42 to the Commander ARP Officer Cantt 1 Sept Encs.

1500/W

A R P lighting vehicles

General and Revenue Secretariat

W File No. 150 of 1942-3. [App. F. III-2

Serial No. 11

From The Deputy Hon'ble the Resident.
No F. 3(22)-42/W. 1 (1)a Nov. 42 forwarding for information and necessary action a copy of Civil Defence Hqrs Circular 29° Oct. 42 re lighting vehicles

NOV 17 1942 4325

Forwarded for perusal. A copy of the present Circular with its enclosure is sent to the Hon'ble the Chief Secretary to Government, Home Department, Kaduna, for information and necessary action. The Coastal belt on the West Coast is now reduced from 100 miles to 25 miles of the Coast line.

for Secretary to the Government

14.11

Law Dept 16/11

18/11

Second - with the letters to the above opinion.

19/11

12. Memo 2247-53/W/1/1 19th Nov. 42 to the Hon'ble the Chief Secretary to Government, Kaduna. S. E. 7/88

NOTE—Cont. Sheet.

WD 04155—GPB—55,000—23-10-41

~~2-4-42~~ 1755/W Lighting restrictions

File No. . of 194 | General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No.

From A.R.P. officer Thro. D.C.P.
No A.R.P 510 dt 3-12-42.
Requests approval to hold
practice Black out in
Bangalore City for 2½ hrs
from 04.15 hrs. inst.
Submitted for favourable
orders.

S.C. 7/12 Please comply with
on the lighting aspects

L 8/12

A copy noting submitted for above
S.C. 8/12 for

L 8/12

Law Dept
Devan

Please note also a Crash Black out on the 15th from 8-15 to 8-30 pm.

L 8/12

L 8/12

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L 8/12

Issue.
8/12/42

Issue

L 9/12

Issue Notification 2635-42/W dt 9th Dec 42 to all Concerned
2635-42/W Mem. to
SPCIs
ARP Officer &
ARP Controller.

OFFICE
8. DEC. 1942
4354

1755
1783 - Lighting restrictions

From Sl. 15 The ARP Officer Bexhill
ARP. 510/42/60 of 7th Dec. 42 forwarding
Notification and requesting that effect may be
given to arrange for the wide publication
thereof.

The Notification has already issued
This will be sent to the P.O. for records

(RS
10/12
Sec)

for Secretary of State
for War

Today
10/12

Press note issued
10/12

The file will be returned to the War
Section.
RS
10/12/42.

Asst Sec'y War
N.C

11/12

Dec
11.12.42.

S. of S. The press notice
following the restrictions
mentioned in the Orders
of the A.R.P. Officers
of two Boroughs of the
Eastern Counties

RCM.

Sec.
11/12

for Secretary of State
for War

The notes above are clear that a
press note was to issue, but A.R.P. 510/4
42-43, dated Dec. 7th, of which the
latter is the revised notification was referred
to in a copy sent to the publicity office.
If approved a revised press note will be
issued.

11/12/42 Record note issued
+ file returned
11/12

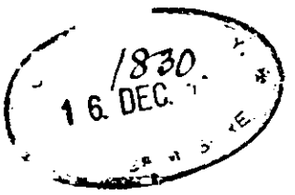
1865/W

Lighting Restrictions

From Sh. Wks. The ARP Officer
ARP 39 Q 42 dated 11th Dec. 42 forg a
cpy ltr Commencing cessation by hrs
re: the temporary re-imposition of brownout.

Info for perusal.

(RS 15/12)



CHIEF SECRETARIAT.

No. 2355—W., dated 8th April 1942.

Government are pleased to issue the following order under Rule 52 (1) of the Defence of India Rules as applied to Mysore, *viz.*—

I. PREAMBLE.

(1) This order shall be called the Mysore Obscuration of Lights Order and is intended to impose permanent restrictions on external lighting in general, lights on vehicles, and lights carried outside by hand, with a view to reducing the visibility of the towns to hostile aircraft at night.

This order does not affect the provisions of the Hostile Attack (Precautions) Order, the Control of Lights Order, and such other orders as have been, or may be, issued with regard to lighting restrictions during Air Raids or on the sounding of the Air Raid warning signal whether for practice purposes or otherwise.

(2) It shall come into force from the 15th April 1942, and shall extend to the following places :—

(1) Bangalore City.
(2) Mysore City.
(3) Belagola.
(4) Krishnarajasagar.
(5) Bhadravati.
(6) Tarikere.
(7) Shimoga.
(8) Sivasamudram.
(9) Shimshapur.
(10) Kolar Gold Field.
(11) Bethamangala.
(12) Bowringpet.
(13) Kankanhalli.
(14) Thippagondanahalli (Bangalore District).
(15) Soldevanahalli (do).

(3) This order supersedes the notification No. 1234—W/126-40-9, dated the 16th December 1941, issued by Government under Rule 52 (1) of the Defence of India Rules (Lighting Restrictions in the Bhadravati area).

II. DEFINITIONS :

"*An ordinary hurricane lamp*" is one giving no more light than a DIETZ No. 2 Hurricane lamp with a wick of ¾" width burning kerosene oil.

The light cast on the ground by such a lamp held 4 ft. 6 inches high is not greater than 0·02 foot candle power.

"*Brown Paper*" means brown paper of a density not less than that of the sample to be seen at any Police Station.

III. ORDER :

1. *Street lights and Public lights* :

All public lighting shall be reduced to the minimum compatible with public safety, to the satisfaction of the A. R. P. Controller.

2. *External Lights* : (*On buildings or open ground*).

(*a*) No light for decoration, advertisement or any similar purpose, shall be exhibited on the outside of any building or construction or on any plot of land.

(*b*) No light for any other purpose shall be exhibited on the outside of any building or construction or in any verandah or any plot of land unless it is screened to the satisfaction of the A. R. P. Controller or an officer designated by him.

3. *Lights on vehicles* :

(*a*) *Motor Vehicles*:

All lights capable of throwing a beam carried on a motor vehicle shall be screened by one of the following methods :—

(i) by pasting dry brown paper over the glass, one thickness on the lower half, and two thickness on the upper half.

(ii) by using a standard head lamp mask of a pattern approved by the A. R. P. Controller.

(*b*) *Other Vehicles*:

Candle lamps and oil lamps such as are usually used on carts and of lower power than an ordinary hurricane lamp, may be unshaded.

Hurricane lamps will be painted black or blue down to the level of the flame.

No light of greater power than the above shall be used.

(*c*) *Bicycles*:

All lamps of greater power than an ordinary oil lamp will be screened by one thickness of dry brown paper pasted over the glass.

4. *Lights carried by hand.*

No light brighter than that of an ordinary hurricane lamp with the glass painted black or blue down to the level of the flame or a candle lamp shall be carried or kept in any street or open place or outside the walls of a roofed building.

Torches must conform to the above standard and must also be screened by paper pasted all over the glass. No torch shall be carried or used outside a walled building during an air raid or practice exercise except by Magistrates, Police Civic Guards and Air Raid Precautions Services.

5. This order does not apply to lighting on the Railways and to the factories to be exempted by the A. R. P. Controller under clause 7.

6. This order does not apply to vehicles of the Military Department for which separate rules exist.

7. The A. R. P. Controller may exempt from this order, on such terms as he may prescribe, special lighting required:—

(1) for or incidental to the production or movement of war material;
(2) for police, fire-fighting or A. R. P. vehicles; and
(3) for any other purpose.

8. Between sunset and sunrise, no vehicle shall move at a speed of more than 20 miles per hour within the limits of the places mentioned in sub-para (2) of the preamble to this order and also within such other areas as may be specified by the District Magistrates

IV. Any person contravening any provision of this order shall, on conviction by a Magistrate, be liable to be punished with imprisonment which may extend to six months or with fine or with both.

By Order,

M. G. MEHKRI,
Chief Secretary to Government.

P R 3018

B. S. RAGHAVENDRA RAO,
PRESIDENT

& A.R.P.CONTROLLER.

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR LAW
JUL 27 1942
No 925

W 150-42-1

375/W.

CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL,
MYSORE.

25th July 1942.

ARPT : 137

CONFIDENTIAL

1022

Dear Sir,

Applications have come to me for permission to put up advertisement lights in connection with the Birthday Celebrations of His Highness the Maharaja. As the Palace would be illuminated also in this connection, there may not be much harm and in fact it would be desirable in view of the street lights having been obscurated that advertisement lights are permitted on 1st, 2nd and 3rd August, when there will be crowd in Mysore. The obscuration of lights in Mysore City is regulated by Government Order No.2355-W dated 8th April 1942 - Rule 2(a) and I am afraid as per this Order I have no powers to allow these advertisement lights.

I therefore request permission to permit the advertisement lights during the said three days.

Yours sincerely,
B. S. Raghavendra Rao

M. G. Mehkri, Esq., B.A.,LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to Government
of Mysore, Bangalore.

KSR.

CHIEF SECRETARY
29 JUL 194
GOVT. OF MYSORE

Issued No. 569/W Dt 29.7.42 to the Compiler S. G. P.,
Memo. 570-4/W
D. Sr, mys. city, A. R. P. Controller mys. city
Spl. A. R. P. Officer, & the Gr. S., C. P. S.

No. 569/W. dt 29.7.42

W150.42-2

NOTIFICATION.

Govt. are pleased to direct that the Mysore Obscuration of Lights Order be suspended in Mysore City for a period of three days from the 1st August 1942, ~~and to permit the exhibition of advertisement lights in the said City.~~

By Order,

29/7

Chief Secy. to Govt.

To

The Compiler, for publication in tomorrow's issue of the Gazette

Memo. 570-4/W

Copy to I.G.P.

" A.R.P. Controller, Mysore City.

" Special A.R.P.Officer.

" Dt. Magistrate, Mysore City.

" C.S.C.P.S.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No. 569 W. *Dated Bangalore,* 29th July *19* 42.

NOTIFICATION.

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By Order,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication in tomorrow's issue of the Gazette.

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By Order,

(Sd.) M.G.Mehkri.

~~For~~ Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication in tomorrow's issue of the Gazette.

Memo No. 570-4/W Dated the 29th July 1942.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the I.G.P., A.R.P. Controller mys. city, Spl. A.R.P. Officer, D.M., mys. city, & G.S./C.P.S.

For Chief Secretary to Government.

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For Chief Secretary to Government.

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WD 02723—GPB—20,000—1-7-41

Form No. 24]

MYSORE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

In reply, please quote number, date and short title.*

Received..... .....*Registered*.....

From (Name) M. Seshadri, Esquire, M.A.,
Inspector General of Police in Mysore,
(Designation) BANGALORE.

Post Box....., (STATION) .....

Telegraphic Address .....

Immediate

CHIEF SECRETARY
31. JUL. 1942
GOVT. OF MYSORE.

To

Gulam Mohiyuddin Mehkri, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

H.H. War 1/4 3 d 7

A.R.P No 165/42-43 *dated* 31st July *1942*.

SIR,

ENCLOSURES .....

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SPARE COPIES.....

I have the honour to state that at the meeting of the C.&M. Station A.R.P. Advisory Committee held at the Residency to day, a communication from the Government of India was read out, according to which, the Obscuration of lights - both street and house - might be altogether removed subject only to the condition that we should be prepared to reimpose the obscuration at 48 hours notice. This would apply to the lights on vehicles also.

copy of the Law Dept. from which body running the motor in the place when the obscuration of lights is enforce. I law. places of the Govt Police action in anticipation

I request therefore that Government may issue a Notification keeping in abeyance the Obscuration of Lights Order with effect from tomorrow the 1st August 42. It may however be notified that there will be a practice at the end of August 1942 to test if obscuration can be made effective within 48 hours.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
M Seshadri
Inspector General of Police.

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Orders by the Chief Secretary in case of Press Note. Note issued and file forwarded to the Asst Secy. who is present during obscuration.

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00 copies

No.628-724/W Dt. 1.8.42

W 150-42-4.

NOTIFICATION.

Government are pleased to direct that the operation of the Mysore Obscuration of Lights Order issued with Notification No.2355-W dated the 8th April 1942 as amended from time to time, be suspended until further orders.

By Order,

Chief Secy. to Govt.

To

The Compiler, Mysore Gazette for ~~information~~ publication.

Copy to I.G.P. for information & reference in letter No. C 165/42-1 dt. 31/7/42

G.S., C.P.S.

D.C. D.H.S.

Home Secretary

Law Secretary

A.G.A. Mysore for information

Office of the Publ
to the Government
Public Office

Bangalore, dated 1

Press Note.

Government are pleased to d
Obscuration of Lights Order as applie
House lighting be suspended from toda
in all areas of the State where it is
further orders.

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Publicity Offi

Temporary Removal
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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

Dated, Bangalore. 1st August 1942.

No. 628-727/W.

NOTIFICATION.

Government are pleased to direct that the operation of the Mysore Obscuration of Lights Order issued with Notification No. 2355-W dated the 8th April 1942 as amended from time to time, be suspended until further orders.

By Order,

M.G.MEHKRI,
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Copy to Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
Copy to A.R.P. Controllers of Bangalore City, Mysore City, Bhadravathi, and Kolar Gold Fields.
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Press Table.

Office of the Publicity Officer
to Government of Mysore,
Public Offices,
Bangalore, Dated 14th August 1942.

PRESS NOTE.

In continuation of the Press Note issued on 1st August 1942 suspending the Obscuration of Lights Order in Mysore State until further orders, the public are informed that there will be a practice at the end of August 1942 to test if the obscuration can be made effective within 48 hours.

The public are also requested to note that since the order may be reimposed at any time, after 48 hours' notice, it will be useful to keep shades and shading material - readily available for use once again if such a necessity arises.

M.S. Swaminathan,
Publicity Officer
to Government.

W 150-42-5 778

SECRET

No.F.3(22) 42/W (Secret 2)

From

The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore Bangalore

CHIEF SECRETARY * 29. AUG. 1942 * GOVT OF MYSORE

Dated Bangalore the 29-August 1942

War

Lighting Restrictions
Basic Preparations.

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Sir,

I am directed to forward for information a copy of the Government of India, Civil Defence Department Circular letter No.283/42, dated the 13th July 1942 with regard to the partial relaxation of the obscuration of lights in those areas which lie outside the Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa area and a 100 mile coastal belt stretching round the cost of India from the southern boundary of Orissa to Karachi. A copy of the chart referred to in the letter is

also

also enclosed. The proposal has of course already been adopted here.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT

SECRET.

No.10/42-A.R.P.(C.D.).
Government of India.
Civil Defence Department.
New Delhi, the 13th July 1942

M_E_M_O_R_A_N_D_U_M.

Civil Defence Department Circular No.283/42.

Subject:- Lighting Restrictions - Basic Preparations.

It is felt that the likelihood of Japanese air raids extending far within India during the Monsoon is sufficiently small for some relaxation of lighting restrictions to be justified.

2. It is proposed therefore that the present scale of restrictions should be maintained in

Assam,
Bengal
Bihar,
Orissa,

and the 100 mile coastal belt from the southern boundary of Orissa round to Karachi

3. But that in the remainder of India a system of "Basic Preparation" should be instituted whereby so much of a return to normal lighting would be permitted as would enable reversion to "brown out" conditions at any time within 48 hours of notice being received.

4. The attainment of "brown out" conditions always takes a considerable time after the lighting restriction order is first introduced.

But when the necessary fittings have been obtained, and their application has been practised, the fittings can in many cases be kept ready and re-applied in a few minutes.

Some of the fittings, e.g. street light

shades..

shades cannot of course be removed and refixed in hours, but in many such cases only half the lights are shaded and the remainder permanently left unlit in "brown out" conditions.

It is now suggested that in those places in the interior of India (less the area mentioned in para.2) where lighting restrictions have been practised to the satisfaction of the authorities concerned, a reversion to a condition of "basic preparation" should be now allowed and continued, probably for the period of the monsoon, or until any increase of the threat justifies re-imposition of the full "brown-out"

Practices might be held at suitable intervals, e.g. monthly, to see that full lighting restriction is really attainable at 48 hours notice.

The attached chart illustrates the idea.

Secretary to the Government of India.

To

All Chief Secretaries & Chief Commissioners.

No.10/42-A.R.P.(C.D.).

Copy forwarded to:-

Labour Department/Supply Department/ Communications Department/Railway Board/Posts & Telegraphs Department/General Staff Branch/Air Headquarters/Area Advisers/A.R.P. Schools.

By order, etc.,

Secretary to the Government of India.

S.S.C.

500-13-7.--D.

No. 1524/D-Encls 2
W 150-42-1c.

5th Septr. 1942.

The Inspector-General of Police
in Mysore.

Lighting Restrictions -
Basic Preparations.

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I am directed to forward for your information a copy of the Govt. of India, Civil Defence Dept. letter No.283/42 dated the 13th July 1942, received from the Residency, with regard to the partial relaxation of the obscuration of lights in those areas which lie outside the Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Orissa area and 100 mile coastal belt stretching round the coast of India from the southern boundary of Orissa to Karachi. A copy of the chart referred to in the letter is also enclosed for reference and return.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government

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No. W.1158
ENCLS.

PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARIAT,

Dated Bangalore, 8/8/ *1942.*

FROM

The *Secretary to Government,*
Public Works Department,
Bangalore.

To

The Chief Engineer of Mysore,

Bangalore.

SIR,

Obscuration of lights in Government Buildings.

With reference to your letter No.24071 dated 6th June 1942, requesting to intimate how the cost of works relating to obscuration of lights is to be met, I am directed to state that the cost of such works may be met out of the provision sanctioned for A.R.P. works in respect of official residences, Government buildings rented out to private parties and private buildings taken over by Government on lease.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd) D.S. Venkanna

For Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

No. W.1160 Dated, Bangalore, 8th August 1942.

Copy of the above is forwarded, with compliments, to the War Section, for information.

D.S. Venkanna

For Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

TSRN.

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Immediate

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Telegram / phone

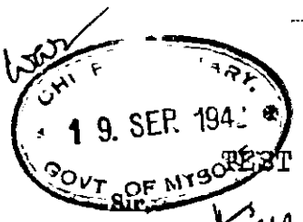
OFFICE OF
the A.R.P. Officer,
Bangalore City.

No. No.A.R.P.285/42-43.
Encls. 3.

Date 18th September 1942.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.



Sir,

TEST BLACK OUT ON 23rd, 24th & 25th Septr. 1942 - ISSUE OF NOTIFICATION TO THE PUBLIC.

I have the honour to enclose for information a copy of phone message received to-day from the Collector and A.R.P. Controller, Civil & Military Station, in the matter of having test black outs on 23rd, 24th and 25th of this month both in the City and Civil and Military Station and to request that a notification may kindly be caused to be issued on Monday the 21st instant for the information of the public.

The Publicity Officer to the Government of Mysore, may kindly also be requested to arrange for the publication of the notification in the local papers.

Copies of correspondance that passed between me and the A.R.P. Controller, Civil and Military Station are herein enclosed for kind perusal.

The A.R.P. Controller, Civil & Military Station, is issuing a similar notification on Monday the 21st instant for the information of Civil and Military Station.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

A.R.P. Officer,
Bangalore City.

KVN.

PHONE MESSAGE FROM THE CIVIL & MILITARY STATION A.R.P. OFFICE AT 3-40 P.M.

Military authorities have agreed to have black-out on 23rd and Brown-out on 23rd, 24th and 25th and C & M Station will also follow. This information will be issued to public on Monday. Wants to know if it is convenient for the City Area.

Reply to be phoned to No.46 after A.R.P. Officer, comes to the Office.

Sd/- B.N.Sri Harshan.

COPY.

for a R P O.

Letter No.A.R.P.(4103)/42 dated 15-9-42, from the A.R.P. Controller, Civil & Military Station, Bangalore, to the Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore.

Practice Air Raid Alerts.

Reference:- Correspondence ending with your endorsement No.F.3(13)-42/W, dated 14/15-9-1942.

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I discussed this morning the question of practice blackouts and brownouts ~~xx~~ next week with the A.R.P. Controller, Bangalore City (Mr.M.L.Narasimha Iyengar). He states that Wednesday the 23rd September 1942 will suit the State authorities best for the proposed black-out. The Mysore Government is also of the opinion that the brown out should last for 3 days at least i.e. 23rd, 24th and 25th. If you approve, please ascertain and let me know whether the Military authorities are agreeable to the proposed dates.

The favour of an early reply is requested.

Copy to the A.R.P. Controller, Bangalore City, for information.

COPY.

For A.R.P. Officer,
Bangalore City.

D.O. Letter No.A.R.P.285/42-43 dated 15-9-42, from the A.R.P. Officer, Bangalore City, to the A.R.P. Controller, Civil & Military Station, Bangalore.

In continuation of my D.O. to you of 14th September 1942, I wish to state that a brown-out practice can be had continuously for 3 nights as suggested by you. Complete black-out can be arranged for on any one of the above nights for a period of 15 minutes. Of course these details have to be notified in papers for the information of the public well in advance. It would be suitable to us to have the brown-out practice from the 23rd instant for 3 nights, i.e., 23rd, 24th and 25th. Please let me know immediately after the Military Authorities agree to this proposal, so that we could take further action in the matter.

With kind regards.

Copy.

D.O. letter No.A.R.P.285/42-43 dated 14th September 1942, from the A.R.P. Officer, Bangalore City, to the Collector & A.R.P. Controller, Civil & Military Station, Bangalore.

I am in receipt of your kind letter of today enclosing the copies of the letter of the area Commander and your note on it.

I agree with you in considering that Tuesday the 15th would not suit us. Probably Wednesday the 23rd would be suitable. I shall write to you about this date definitely tomorrow after consulting the District Magistrate and the Law Minister. I was not able to get at them today.

With kind regards.

IMMEDIATE.

A.R.P. Headquarters,
Civil & Military Station,
14-9-1942.

Dear Mr. Narasimhaiengar,

Herewith a copy of the Area Commander's letter and my note. Do you agree. Actually, I believe Wednesday 23rd would suit us better - publishing the notification on Monday. Would that be equally suitable for you ? I shall be grateful for a reply to-day if possible.

Yours sincerely,

Sd/- H.H.Carleston,

"Copies"

M.R.N.

No.259/11/X/G
H.Q. Bangalore Area. 5th Sept. 1942.

To

The Secretary to the Resident in Mysore.

Subject: P.A.D.

Apart from A.R.P. practices, I consider it essential that the "Brown-out" & Black-out regulations both for buildings and for buildings and for vehicles, be practised monthly and suggest the following means of doing so:-

(a) "Brown-out" to last throughout the night.

(b) "Black-out" to last for 15 minutes during the same night and to be notified by sirens in the usual way. I suggest from 2000 to 2015 hrs. might be a suitable time for it.

Please let me know if you agree with the above: I suggest Tuesday 15 Sep. 42 might be a suitable night for it.

Sd- E.R.S. Dods, Brig.,
Commandant.

B.R.

The letter referred to was not received from the Residency Office. I did receive a copy direct but have mislaid it.

Since re-imposition of the brown-out requires 48 hours notice, Tuesday 15th will not be possible. Subject to City Controller's concurrence, therefore, I suggest Tuesday 22nd for the black-out and brown-out. Notification would have to be published in Saturday's paper, thus giving 72 hours notice instead of 48. However there would be no harm in this for the first occasion.

Actually re-imposition of the brown-out for one night only will give us little opportunity to examine its effectiveness or to deal with those who do not obey the instructions. Moreover, people may choose to endure darkness for the one night rather than go to the bother of fixing up shades to lamps or windows. Hence future brown-outs should last for 2 or 3 days at least.

Since Area Hq's letter mentions only vehicles and buildings, I presume that street lights need not be dealt with and that these may simply be extinguished for the night. This will save a lot of labour on the part of the Electricity Dept. If it is intended that street lights shall be shaded again, then this work will fall on the Electricity Dept. and they should be consulted regarding the date. However, I consider it unnecessary, as street lighting is entirely under our control and in an emergency street lights can be kept extinguished until shading is completed.

Sd/- H.H.Carleston,
14-9-42.

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Telegram: "POLICE."
Telephone: 2108.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE.

No. A.R.P.295/42-43.
Encl. one

Bangalore, dated.....18th..Septr. ...1942

FROM

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

SIR

LIGHTING RESTRICTIONS - BASIC PREPARATIONS.

A s desired in your letter No.1524/W dated 5-9-1942, I have the honour to return herewith the chart sent with the above letter.

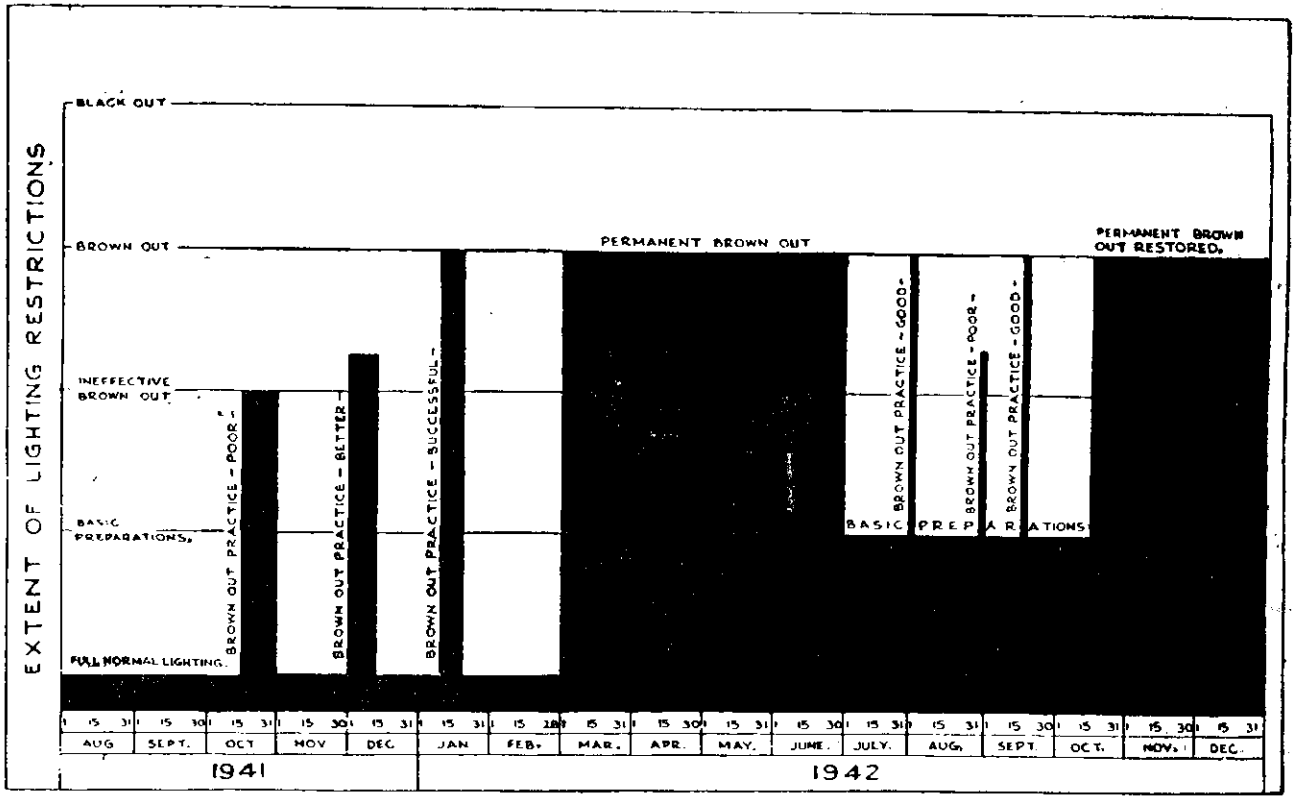
I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M C Ramaswamy Iyer

For INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE.

18/9/42

KVN.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Form No. 24]

MYSORE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

In reply, please quote number, date and short title.*

Received..... .....*Registered*..... .....

From (Name) M.L.Narasimhaiengar, Esq., B.A., B.E., Mi.I.E.,

(Designation) A.R.P. Officer,

Post Box..... ....., (STATION) .....Bangalore City. ....

Telegraphic Address ....

To

The Chief Secretary,

to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

A.R.P.No.285/42-43....*dated*...21st.Septr.....*1942*

SIR,

ENCLOSURES ..... I have the honour to enclose for kind approval

.....Five..... a copy of draft notification regarding the Obscuration of Lights

..... Order which may kindly be caused to be issued today. A copy of

SPARE COPIES..... the notification which will be issued in the C.&. M. Station today is also enclosed for information.

A copy of the Press Note regarding the Practice Black-out on 23rd instant which I propose to issue is enclosed for kind information.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

B Narasimhaiengar

for A.R.P. OFFICER, BANGALORE CITY.

No. _____ Dated, Bangalore 21st September 1942.

N O T I F I C A T I O N.

Government are pleased to direct that the Mysore Obscuration of Lights Order issued under G.O.No. 2355-W dated 8th April 1942 as subsequently amended from time to time and temporarily suspended in No.628-727/W dated 1st August 1942 ~~is~~ kiu come into force at 8 P.M. on Wednesday the 23rd September 1942 in Bangalore City and ~~xWix~~ shall continue ~~in force~~ kill in force for a period of 58 hours viz. until 6 A.M. on Saturday the 26th September 1942.

Chief Secretary to Government.

Draft ack

A.R.P. Control Bangalore City. 21/9/42

COLLECTOR AND A.R.P. CONTROLLER, C & M STATION, BANGALORE.

NOTIFICATION.

No.ARP( )/42.

Under clause 2 of Part I of the Bangalore Civil and Military Station Obscuration of Lights Order 1942, (as finally amended), it is hereby notified for public information that the provision of the said Obscuration of Lights Order will come into force at 8 P.M. on Wednesday the 23rd September 1942 and will continue in force for a period of 58 hours viz. until 6 A.M. on Saturday the 26th September 1942.

Mayo Hall,
21st September 1942.

Sd/- H.H.Carleston,
COLLECTOR & A.R.P. CONTROLLER.

COPY.

A.R.P. Controller,
Bangalore City. 21/9

A. R. P.

PRACTICE BLACK-CUT, WEDNESDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER *1942.

A practice black-out, of which the usual warning will be given by sirens and Police whistles, will be held in Bangalore City and C.& M. Station on Wednesday 23rd September commencing at 8 P.M. and lasting for a quarter of an hour. The public are requested to take cover as soon as they hear the air raid warning signal and to follow the simple instructions given for their own protection and safety .

Copy

Sd./- M.L.Narasimhaiengar,
A.R.P. Officer, Bangalore City.

Sd./- H.H.Carleston,
Collector and A.R.P. Controller,
C.& M. Station.

A. R. P. Controller,
Bangalore City.

A.R.P. HEADQUARTERS,

BANGALORE CITY.

NOTICE.

Lighting Restrictions.

Temporary re-imposition for 3 nights from Wednesday 23rd September 1942 to Saturday 26th September 1942 (morning).

Attention is invited to notification ..... issued by Government today bringing it into force again the provisions of the obscuration of Lights Order temporarily for three nights commencing on Wednesday 23rd Sept. 1942 at 8 P.M. and ending on Saturday 26th morning. During these three nights all the lighting restrictions which were being enforced up to 31st July 1942 when the restrictions were temporarily removed must be strictly observed on pain of prosecution. The order involves the shading of lights in buildings and on vehicles as was being done up to 31st July 1942, and prohibition of outside lights subject to exemptions already granted. Street lights will remain extinguished during this period.

The temporary re-imposition of these restrictions is for the purpose of practice. It is hoped that the public will co-operate by observing the restrictions as carefully as possible. If practices are not successful then it may be necessary to re-impose the restrictions permanently or to have more frequent practices either of which courses are bound to cause inconvenience to the public. Please help to avoid this therefore by making this first practice a thorough success.

Bangalore City,
21-9-1942

A.R.P. OFFICER, BANGALORE CITY.

Issued for information.

A. R. P. Controller,
Bangalore City.

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CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION, BANGALORE.

N O T IC E.

LIGHTING RESTRICTIONS.

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Mayo Hall,
Dated 21st September 1942.

Sd/- H.H.Carleston,
Collector and A.R.P. Controller.

COPY.

A. R. P. Controller,
Bangalore City.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No. 1619/W
W 150-42-10.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

Dated Bangalore, 21st September 1942.

NOTIFICATION.

Government are pleased to direct that the Mysore Obscuration of Lights Order issued under Notification No.2355/W dated the 6th April 1942 as subsequently amended from time to time and temporarily suspended in Notification No.626-727/W dated the 1st August 1942, will come into force at 8 P.M. on Wednesday the 23rd September 1942 in Bangalore City and shall continue to be in force for a period of 58 hours viz., until 6 A.M. on Saturday the 26th September 1942.

By Order,

(Sd.) M.G.Mehkri.
Chief Secretary to Government.

To

The Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication in the Gazette.

IMMEDIATE.

Memo No. 1620-3/W Dated the 21st Septr. 1942.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the
ARP Officer, Bluru city
ARP Controller Bluru city
I G P
Genl Supdt CPS

For Chief Secretary to Government.

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Chief Secretary to Government.

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The Compiler, Mysore Gazette, for publication in the Gazette.

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For Chief Secretary to Government.

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NV 2247-53/42
W 150-42-12

Bangalore, 19th Novr. 1942.

From

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore, Kanara, Bellary, Kadur, Shimoga,
Chitaldrug, Kolar, Tumkur, Bangalore & South Kanara Districts.

Sir,

Subject : Lighting restrictions.

I am directed to forward herewith for information and favour of necessary action a copy of the Government of India, Civil Defence Department Circular No.405/42, dated the 29th October 1942.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for Chief Secretary to Government.

Copy of the Government of India, Civil Defence Department Circular No.405/42, dated 29th Octr.1942.

Subject : Lighting Restrictions.

I am directed to refer to Civil Defence Department Circular No.212/42, dated 13th July 1942 and to say that it has been decided in consultation with General Headquarters that the width of the coastal belt on the west coast from Cape Comorin to Trichi in which full "brown out" conditions have been imposed should be reduced from 100 miles to 25 miles from the coast line.

It is requested that in those parts of India where "Dania Precautions" only apply, "Brown Out" trials should be held once every two months and that such trials should cover a period of at least 7 hours.

M 2247-53/D

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Bangalore, 19th Novr. 1942.

From

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

To

The Deputy Commissioner,
District.

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Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Secretary to Government.

Copy of the Government of India, Civil Defence Department Circular No.405/42, dated 29th Octr.1942.

Subject : Lighting Restrictions.

I am directed to refer to Civil Defence Department Circular No.232/42, dated 13th July 1942 on the above subject and to say that it has been decided in consultation with Naval Headquarters that the width of the coastal belt on the west coast from Jere Coffrin to Vingorla in which full "brown out" conditions are to be imposed should be reduced from 100 miles to 40 miles from the coast line.

It is considered that in those parts of India where "Basic Precautions" only are in force, "Brown Out" trials should be held once every two months and that such trials should cover a period of at least 72 hours.

C. F. No. 46

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

1755/W.

W 150-42-13. OFFICE OF

the A.R.P. Officer,

Bangalore City.

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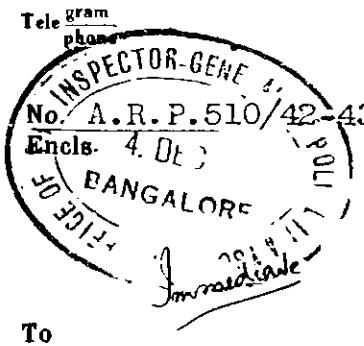

No. A.R.P.510/42-43.

Encls. 4. Dt.

Date 3rd December 1942.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Through: The Inspector General of Police in Mysore, B'lore.

Sir

LIGHTING RESTRICTIONS - PRACTICE BROWN OUT DURING THE MIDDLE OF DECEMBER 1942.

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter No.2247-53/W dated 19-11-42, I have the honour to state that as suggested by the Collector and A.R.P. Controller, Civil & Military Station, Bangalore and as agreed to by the District Magistrate, Bangalore District, the Practice Brown out in Bangalore City may be held for 72 hours from the 14th instant viz. 14th, 15th and 16th.

Kind approval is solicited for holding the Brown out practice on the days referred to above.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for A.R.P. Officer,
Bangalore City.

Appendix F. G.—1]

SUBJECT.....

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Section War
File No. 150-42
Serial No. 14.

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

No. 2634-38/W d 9.12.42.
Notification.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

Govt. are pleased to direct that the mysore observance of lights order issued under notification No. 3257/W of 8-6-42 as subsequently amended from time to time and temporarily suspended vide notification No 6728-727/W of 1-8-42 shall come into force in Bangalore city on monday the 14th Dec 1942 at 6 PM and shall continue

Date of issue . 9.12.42.

Signed by..... M. S. K. V.

List of enclosures.....

Codied by.....

Subject to approval,

Examined by.....

Cs the air force take till 7 A.M on
~~period of 72 hours,~~
~~namely, until 8 p.m on~~
Thursday the 17th Dec 42.

B.O

Msgr
C. this Army for
8 11/12
Cs Compliance Sir. Gr. for
publication via proper [illegible]
of the Amnesty ~~Order~~
Copy to A.R.P Officer Kolding
A.R.P Controller
J. Gr. P.
H. S. C. P. S.

Sd

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

No. 2C 314/42.... BANGALORE, 9TH DECEMBER 1942.

NOTIFICATION.

Government are pleased to direct that the Mysore Obscuration of Lights Order issued under notification No.2355/W, dated 8th April 1942 as subsequently amended from time to time and temporarily suspended in notification No.628-727/W,dated 1-8-42 shall come into force in Bangalore City on Monday the 14th Decr.1942 at 6 P.M. and shall continue to be in force till 7 A.M. on Thursday the 17th Decr. 1942.

By Order,

for CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Compiler, Mysore Gazette for publication in Part III of the Gazette.

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No..2634/W.....

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

BANGALORE, 9TH DECEMBER 1942.

NOTIFICATION.

Government are pleased to direct that the Mysore Obscuration of Lights Order issued under notification No.2355/W, dated 8th April 1942 as subsequently amended from time to time and temporarily suspended in notification No.628-727/W,dated 1-8-42 shall come into force in Bangalore City on Monday the 14th Decr.1942 at 6 P.M. and shall continue to be in force till 7 A.M. on Thursday the 17th Decr. 1942.

By Order,

For CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Compiler, Mysore Gazette for publication in Part III of the Extraordinary Gazette.

GENERAL & REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

No...2b.34/42... BANGALORE, 9TH DECEMBER 1942.

W 150-42-14

NOTIFICATION.

Government are pleased to direct that the Mysore Obscuration of Lights Order issued under notification No.3355/W, dated 8th April 1942 as subsequently amended from time to time and temporarily suspended in notification No.628-727/W,dated 1-8-42 shall come into force in Bangalore City on Monday the 14th Decr.1942 at 6 P.M. and shall continue to be in force till 7 A.M. on Thursday the 17th Decr. 1942.

By Order,

Y.S. CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Compiler, Mysore Gazette for publication in Part III of the Gazette.

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To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Through

The Inspector General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

ARP *No.* S 10|42-43 *dated*..... 7th Decr. 42. *194*

SIR,

ENCLOSURES .....

..... I have the honour to enclose for favour of kind

..... approval and issue, a draft notification in the matter

..... of the Obscuration of lights in Bangalore City on the

SPARE COPIES..... 14th, 15th and 16th December 1942. The Publicity Officer to the Government of Mysore, may kindly be requested to arrange for its wide publication in all the local papers for the information of the general public.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

N.R.A.C. 1637|42-43
Forwarded for Compliments

J M Pethadeen
Inspector General of Police
8.12.42

M K Ramachandra
A.R.P. Officer,
Bangalore City.

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N O T I F I C A T I O N.

Government are pleased to direct that the Mysore Obscuration of lights order issued under Notification No.2355/W dated the 8th April 1942 as subsequently amended from time to time and temporarily suspended in Notification No.628-727/W dated the 1st August 1942, will come into force at 8 P.M., on Monday the 14th December 1942 and shall continue to be inforce for a period of 58 hours viz., until 6 A.M., on Thusday the 17th December 1942.

In addition there will be a complete black out for 15 minute on the night of 15th December 1942 between 8-15 and 8-30 P.M.,

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government.

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the A.R.P. Officer,
Bangalore City.

No. A.R.P.390/42-43.
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Date 11th December 1942.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Through: The Inspector General of Police in Mysore, Bangalore

Sir, TEMPORARY RE-IMPOSITION OF BROWN-OUT IN BANGALORE CITY AND C & M STATION FROM 14-12-42 AND A.R.P. EXERCISES ON THE 15th & 16th DECEMBER 1942.

I have the honour to enclose for favour of information a copy of the Communique issued by this office in connection with the Temporary re-imposition of Brown-out in Bangalore City and C & M Station from 14-12-1942 and A.R.P. Exercises on the 15th & 16th December 1942.

Ac. receipt

Forwarded with Compliments

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Inspector-General of Police.

A.R.P. Officer,
Bangalore City.

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From

The Secretary to the Hon'ble
the Resident in Mysore.

To

The Chief Secretary to the
Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.
Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore the 11th Nov. 1942.

LIGHTING RESTRICTIONS.

Sir,

In continuation of letter from this Residency No.F.3(22)-42/W, dated the 29th August 1942, I am directed to forward for information and favour of necessary action a copy of the Government of India, Civil Defence Department Circular No.405/42, dated the 29th October 1942.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

CHIEF SECRETARY
13. NOV.

SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

Copy of the Government of India, Civil Defence Department Circular No.405/42, dated New Delhi the 29th October 1942.

Subject:- Lighting Restrictions.

I am directed to refer to Civil Defence Department Circular No.282/42 dated the 13th July 1942 and to say that it has been decided in consultation with General Headquarters that the width of the coastal belt on the west coast from Cape Comorin to Karachi in which full "brown out" conditions have been imposed should be reduced from 100 miles to 25 miles from the coast line.

2. It is requested that in those parts of India where "Basic Precautions" only apply, "Brown Out" trials should be held once in every two months and that such trials should cover a period of at least 72 hours.

A. R. P.

TEMPORARY RE-IMPOSITION OF BROWN-OUT IN BANGALORE CITY AND CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION FROM 14th DECEMBER.

A.R.P. Exercises on 15th and 16th December.

Attention is invited to the Notification re-imposing the brown-out for 60 hours from the evening of Monday the 14th December until the morning of Thursday the 16th December. This applies to house and car lights and the restrictions are the same as those which were previously in force permanently. The public are requested to co-operate in making this brown-out as effective as possible, since, if this practice is not successful, a permanent brown-out may have to be imposed.

During this brown-out there will be practice A.R.P. exercises. On Tuesday the 15th December evening there will be a complete black-out for 1/4 hour from ~~9-15 hour~~ from 9-15 to 9-30 P.M. On Wednesday the 16th December there will be combined A.R.P. exercises between 8-30 A.M. and 11 A.M. The public warning will sound at 8-30 A.M. and the "Raiders Passed" signal (for the public only) at 9 A.M. The public are requested to co-operate by taking ~~x~~ cover and following the usual precautions during the public alerts. To make the exercises as realistic as possible, it is expected that aircraft will fly over the town; and crackers etc., will be used at the scenes of incidents. The public need not be alarmed on this account.

H.H. Carleston,
COLLECTOR & A.R.P. CONTROLLER,
C & M STATION, BANGALORE.

Bangalore City,
Dated 11-12-1942.

H.L. Narasimiengar,
A.R.P. OFFICER,
BANGALORE CITY.

ಪ್ರಕಟನೆ

ಇದೇ ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್ 14ನೆಯ ತಾರೀಖು ಸೋಮವಾರ ಸಂಜೆ ಮೊದಲ್ಗೊಂಡು 16ನೆಯ ತಾರೀಖು ಗುರುವಾರ ಪ್ರಾತಃಕಾಲದವರೆಗೆ ದೀಪ ಹೊತ್ತಿನ ಪ್ರದರ್ಶನವನ್ನು ಬಲು ಮಚ್ಚಿನೆ ಮುಚ್ಚಟೆಯಂತೆ ಸೊಗದಾಗಿರುವ ಸರದ "ಬೆಳ್ಳಕಿನ ಹಕ್ಕೋಟಿಯ" ಲಿಜ್ಜೆಯನ್ನು ಕಾರ್ಮಜನಿಕರ ಅಲಸಾಡನೆಗಾಗಿ ಮೂಲಕೆ ತರಲಾಗಿದೆ. 1942ನೆಯ ಜುಲೈ 31ನೆಯ ತಾರೀಖಿನವರೆಗೆ ಜಾರಿಯಲ್ಲಿದ್ದ ಬೆಳ್ಳಕಿನ ಹಕ್ಕೋಟಿಯ ತಿಜ್ಜೆಯ ಮೇರೆಗೆ ಆ ಲಿಜ್ಜೆಯು ರಚ್ಚಡಿಸಗ್ಗ ಮತ್ತು ಪಾಡನಗಳ್ಳದೀ ಪಿಗಗಳಿಗೆ ಅನ್ವಯಿಸುತ್ತದೆ. ಈ ಅಭ್ಯಾಸವು ಜಯ ಪ್ರದವಾಗಿದ್ದ ಪಕ್ಷದಲ್ಲಿ ಇದೇ ಅಭ್ಯಾಸವು ಇನ್ನು ಮುಂದೆಯಾವಾಗಲೂ ತಿಚ್ಚರಮೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವಂತೆ ಮಾಡಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಥಮದಿಂದ ಕಾರ್ಮಜನಿಕರು ಮೇಲ್ಕಾಣಿಸಿದ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳೊಡನೆ ಸಂಪೂರ್ಣವಾಗಿ ಸಹಕರಿಸಿ ತಿಭ್ಯಾಸವು ಯಶಸ್ವಿಯಾಗುವಂತೆ ಮಾಡಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಕೋರಿದೆ.

ಈ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಎ.ಆರ್.ಪಿ. ಅಭ್ಯಾಸವು ಹೊಂದಿ ವಿಹಾರವಿರುತ್ತದೆ. 15ನೆಯ ತಾರೀಖು ಮಂಗಳವಾರದ ಸಂಜೆ 9¼ ಘಂಟೆಯಿಂದ 9½ ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ ದೀಪಗಳನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಬಾಗಿಲಿಲ್ಲದಿರುತ್ತವೆ. ಮಾಸ್ತರ್ ಸ್ವಿಚ್‌ಗಳನ್ನಾಗಲಿ ಮೂಸಿಸಲ್ಪಡುತ್ತವೆ. 16ನೆಯ ತಾರೀಖು ಗುರುವಾರ ಪ್ರಾತಃಕಾಲ 6½ ಘಂಟೆಯಿಂದ 7 ಘಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರದ ಮತ್ತು ಪೇಟೆಯ ಎ.ಆರ್.ಪಿ. ಯವರು ಬಿಟ್ಟುಕೊಡಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸುವ ಲಿ.ಡಿ.ಪಿ.ಓ. ತಿಭ್ಯಾಸವು ವಿಹಾರವಿರಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿದೆ. ಆ ಸಮಯದ ಪ್ರಾತಃಕಾಲ 6½ ಘಂಟೆಗೆ ಮಿಲಿಟರಿ ಧ್ವನಿಯು ಏಳಿರೆಯ ಧ್ವನಿ ಮಾಡಲ್ಪಡುತ್ತದೆ. ಪ್ರಾತಃಕಾಲ 7 ಘಂಟೆಗೆ ಧ್ವನಿ ಮಾಡುವುದು ಪ್ರಾರಂಭವಾಗಿ ಸಂಜೆ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಡಲ್ಪಡುವ ಸೂಚನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಡಲಾಗುವುದು. ಈ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಮಜನಿಕರು ತಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸಬಾರದು. ಈ ತಿಭ್ಯಾಸ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾರ್ಮಜನಿಕರು ತಮ್ಮ ತಮ್ಮ ಮನೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಬೆಳಕು ಕಾಣದಂತೆ ಕಿಟಕಿ ಬಾಗಿಲುಗಳಿಗೆ ಕಪ್ಪು ಪರದೆಗಳನ್ನು ಹಾಕಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಕೋರಿದೆ. ಈ ತಿಭ್ಯಾಸವನ್ನು ಕಾರ್ಯಾಚರಣೆಗೆ ನಿಜವಾದ ತಿಮಾನ ಕಾಲವೆಂದು ಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಕೋರಿದೆ. ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರದ ಮೇಲೆ ತಿಮಾನಗಳನ್ನು ಹಾರಾಡಿಸುವ ಭರವಸೆಯಿದೆ. ಮತ್ತು ಎ.ಆರ್.ಪಿ. ಕಾರ್ಯಕರ್ತರಲ್ಲದ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲವು ಮುಖ್ಯ ಸೂಚನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಮಾಡುವ ಸುತ್ತೋಲೆಗಳು ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸಲ್ಪಡುತ್ತವೆ. ಇದಂದ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರು ಸಹಾಯಕರಾಗಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಬೇಡಿಕೆಯಾಗಿದೆ.

ಜೆ.ಬಿ.ಜಿ.ಬಿ. ಕಾರ್ಲಿಸ್ಟನ್.
ಕಲೆಕ್ಟರುಮತ್ತು ಎ.ಡಿ.ಪಿ.ಸಿ.ರಂಡ್ರೋಲರು.
ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಂಡು.
ಎಮ್.ಎಲ್.ನರಸಿಂಹ ಪಿಯ್ಯಂಗಾರ್.
ಎ.ಆರ್.ಪಿ. ಶಿಫ್ಟ್ರೀಸರು; ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಸಿಟಿ.